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TELEGRAMS.

MEXICAN AFFAIRS. FIGHTING CEASES.

[Reuter's Service To The "Telegraph."] [Reuter's Service To The "Telegraph."] [Reuter's Service To The "Telegraph."]

London. Received December 15. Reuter's correspondent at Washington says Rear-Admiral Fletcher cables that the rebels have withdrawn from Tampico and that the fighting has coared The Federal troops have been reinforced.

The American Navy surgeons are helping at the Military Hospital, where 200 wounded Mexicans are lying.

Rebel Reverse. London, Received December, 16. Reuter's correspondent at Mexi co City states that the defeat of the rebels at Tampico is confirmed. The Federal troops report that 800 rebels were killed by the artillery and gunboats, and it is probable that the rebels wil again attack their opponents.

Buzzards hovering over the battlefield on Sunday presented the appearance of low-lying black £70,000. clouds.

New Dictator. Reuter's New York correspondent reports that a telegram from El Paso says that General Villa is virtually Diotator at Chihushua He has seized \$5,000,000 worth of property belonging to foreigners, has executed twenty Mexicans, has commanded the Foreign Consuls to obey robel orders, and has informed the

the rebels. These proceedings are displeasing Washington, the authorities of which have remonstrated with the preserce of the Consuls, and General Carranza.—Reuter.

they must pay largely to support

IMPERIAL AVIATION.

London. Received December 15. Lord Deaborough, the Preeident of the Imperial Air Fleet Committee, which has already presented an heroplane to the Zealand Government. appeals for £10,000 to enable the Committee to carry on its work of calling the attention of the Empire to the need for aerial defence, and for providing the first units to other Dominions. Reuter.

GERMAN DUCAL CASILE. Bridge behind the Presidentia

PARTIALLY DESTROYED BY FIRE.

London, Received December 16, Reuter's correspondent at Berlin states that one-third of the thal of Vice-President Li Yuan Grand Dake's historic Scherwin Hung's eleven year old daughter Castle has been burned, and to the youngest son of Yuan quantities of precious furniture, Shih-kai will take place soon. pictures and tapestry destroyed. Der. Ost. Lloyd. -Reuter.

TUNNEL COLLAPSES.

TRAIN WRECKED.

London Received December 16. Reuter's correspondent at Dresden states that Harrasfelsen funnel collapsed owing to earth government) be 'nominated' as tremora.

A train subsequently deshed into the tunnel and was wrecked. four people being killed and 34 injured. - Reuter.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S SON

London, Received December 18. Mr. David Lloyd George, son of the Chancellor of the Exchequer, who has been ill at Ban Jose from ptomaine poisoning, is now convalencent .- Reuter

TELEGRAMS.

THE SUPFRAGISTS. **DEMONSTRATION DISPERSED**

London, Received December 15. Several men, women, and children were thrown down and M.C.C. team and South Africa slightly hurt by mounted police was continued at Durban on who were dispersing a Suffragist Monday. demonstration in a narrow. In their first innings South thoroughfare at Bow.

More Destruction. London, Received December 16. batting on Monday with an over-Suffragists have bruend Southern Leigh Mansion, Bristol

Miss Pankhurst Released. Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, who was arrested on the 10th inst. while attending a meeting of the "Suffrage Aimy," has been re-

Timber Yard Burne.d

The suffragists have burned imber-yard at Dayonport, much damage resulting to adjoining property.

The total damage is estimated vasionaly between £12,000 and

Bluej ickets and soldiers assisted the firemen in the work of quelling the outbreak.-Reuter.

CRETE.

ANNEXED BY GREECE.

London. Received December 15. Reuter's correspondent " merchants of all nationalities that | Cauea says Crete was appeared by Grecce on Saturday morning with great coremony, King Constantine, accompanied by the Premier, hoisting the Greek dag in amid the tumultuous cheering of ornwds of people. A saluto of 101 guns was afterwards fired by the Greek Fleet.

King Constantine attended Te Doum at the Cathedral before the ceremony and a thanksgiving having fled in cances. APPEAL FOR A NOBLE WORK. service in the Synagogue after-

> His Majesty re-sailed for Athens in the evening.—Reuter.

VICE PRESIDENT LI.

NEW PALACE IN PEKING.

Peking. Received December 15. Plane for the erection of a new palaes to accommodate the Vice-President of the Republic have been prepared.

The new building will be located by the great northern lotus pond, just over the Marmor

Vice-President Li Yuan-hung has instructed his aide de-camp to proceed to Wuchang in order to escort his (the Vice-President'h) family to Peking.

Officials report that the hetro-

EX-ADMIRAL LI. SUGGESTED NEW POST.

Kiungsi (formerly Admiral at under the Manchu Canton Tutuh of Hupeh.-Der. Oat

> PRESIDENT YUAN'S POLICY.

Peking Received December 14. of the newly formed Political Koertes. Committee to-morrow, President Yuan Shih-kai is expected to appointed ambassador at St. outline his programme. The Petereburg.

TELEGRAMS.

THE TEST MATCH.

ENGLAND'S FINE SCORE.

Lonnon, Received December 16, The Test Match between the

Africa scored 182 on Saturday, and the Englishmen resumed

night of score of 94 for two wickets. The vi-itors batted brilliantly and at the close of the second day's play they had compiled 419 runs for the loss of seven wickets. The principal scorers were Hobbs,

82; and Dauglas, 105 not out. In South Africa's first innings Taylor scored 109.—Reuter.

A TERRIBLE VOLCANO.

AWFUL PLIGHT OF ISLAND.

London. Received December 16. Reuter's correspondent at Melbourne wires that a volcano on Ambrym I-land, New Hebrides, has been active for many days:

Six new craters formed on the 6th inst, at Mount Minnie and collapsed on the following day, threatening a mission station and a hosnital

The inhabitants took refuge in boats, and lava overwhelmed the buildings of villages on the north coast, which were abandoned without casualties among 'the small white population, though probably many natives have erished in the west interior.

The steamer France rescued 500 natives, mostly women and children, the able-bodied men

Fires have devastated the island, which is covered with cinders, while the rivers have een transformed into streams of burning lava. - Reuter. ...

ENTENTE CORDIALE.

BLUEJACKETS FRATERNISE.

Toulon states that the merchants Gabelle. have entertained 300 of the visiting British blue jackets and 300 sent a report home. - Der. Ost. of King Yo-wu have been French bluejackets. Repeated Lloyd. cheers were given for Britain,

GREEK ARMY.

The town is on fete.—Reuter,

ASSISTANCE FROM FRANCE.

Berlin. Received December 15. mission.

TUFKEY.

NEW AMBASSADORS APPOINTED.

Berlin. Received December 15. Enver Bey has come to Berlin In his speech at the opening to undergo treatment by Professor

Osman Nizam has been

Der. Ost. Lloyd.

TELEGRAMS.

THE LEBDS STRIKE. SOME STRIKERS RESUME.

[Reuter's Service To The "Telegraph."]

London. Received December 16. A number of strikers have resumed work at Leeds. Clerks continue to act stokers at the Gas Works, while others are driving, and conduct-

ing tramcars. - Reuter."

OBITUARY.

MR. MARTIN J. SUTTON.

London. Received Decomber 16. The death is announced of Mr Martin John Sutton, senior partner in the well-known firm of Sutton and Sons, seedsmen. Reuter.

The deceased, who was born in 1850, was prominently identified with the leading Agricultural Associations, and was an active Church of England layman. He was J. P. for Oxfordshire and Freeman of the Borough of Reading. He was the author of many publications, including a Report on Agricultural Instruction in Great Britain to the Congres International de l'eseignement Republic and their subordinates Agricole, Paris; and papers on to abstain from participation in the Depression in Agriculture party politics.—Der. Ost. Lloyd. and Trade, Wheat Growing in Engand, and Rural Education. He was the recipient of several

CHINESE CURRENCY.

foreign Orders.]

PROPOSALS REGARDING THE LOAN.

Peking, Received December 14. currency loan are as follow:-A Silver Standaryl.

the same as hitherto. Silver pieces of the following undertaking this mission and left

denominations: 50 cents, 25 cents for Hankow yesterday. and 10 cents. denominations: 5 cents, 2 cents, introducing a religious controhalf a cent and one-tenth of a

As security for the new loan all classes. - Reuter to the N. London. Received December 16, Ohina offers the Eurplus of the Daily News. Reuter's correspondent at Maritime Customs and the Salt Sedition in Wuchang.

The Banking Consortium has

FOREIGN TROOPS IN CHINA.

TEST OF RUSSIAN SINCERITY

Peking, Received December 15, The Peking Daily News semi-King Constantine of Greece officially expressed the hope that has ordered the formation of a the Russian proposals regarding special army corps to be under the withdrawal of all foreign famous for the part he played in been signed. the command of a French military troops form Chihli are meant to be sincerely friendly, an attitude The officers comprising the which Russia could best prove by mission will be given commands settlement at the conference of the N.C. Daily News. Vice-President Li Yuan-hung ches of the army.—Der. 1st. and the recall of Russian officers commanding the comma representing the different bran- the Mongolian frontier dispute commanding the marauders of Inner Mongolia, who for a long time have been devastating territory. - Der. Ost.

TOBACCO IN CHINA.

PROPOSED GOVERNMENT MONOPOLY.

Poking, Received December 15 The Government is making ance, will represent the Premier. all have been offering money Tuesday, January 6. plane for the establishment of a It does not appear possible for the since negotiations with the event is looked forward to with Hakki Pasha has been ap- tobacco growing monopoly in loan to be effected this year.— Quintuple Group were re- liquidation—General meeting of great excitement.—Der. Ost. pointed ambassador at London.— China, with the sid of foreign Der. Ost. Lingd to the N. C. Daily sumed,—Reuter to the N. C. shareholders, No. 5, Queen's Road. experts. -- Dor. Ost. Lloyd.

TELEGRAMS.

ANOTHER LEVIATHAN. LAUNCH OF THE TIGER.

Reuter's Service To The "Telegraph." [Router's Service To The "Telegraph."]

Shanghai. Received December 16. The battle-cruiser H. M. S.

knots and be armed with eight pointment of the German General 13 5-inch guns.—Reuter.

PIRACY SUPPRESSION.

CAMPAIGN IN KIANGSU.

Peking, Received December 14. The Chinese troops in the neighbourhood of Haichow have been reinforced by ten regiments for the purpose of suppressing piracy in North Kiangau-Der. Ost. Lloyd.

NO PARTY POLITICS.

PRESIDENT YUAN'S ORDER, authority will have limitations,

Peking, Received December 14. President Yuan Shih-kai has equested the officers of

LATE TELEGRAMS.

State Religion for China.

Peking, December 6th. tablishment of a State Religion is or three "chows," and adopting increasing. The Christian Chur ches in Peking are taking the matter up vigorously.

A committee representing nearly all the Churches and provinces The proposale of the Banking has sent a delegate to Wuchang Consortium regarding the big to interview the Vice-President and point out to him the danger of making Confucianism the State The weight of the dollar to be Religion. General Chang, Yuan Shih-kai's military adviser,

The International Copper pieces of the following Bureau points out the danger of versy at present when the Government should be intent on uniting

> Wuchang Dec. 6. · Pictures of the arrest and death placarded in the streets as it warning to others to refrain from

sedition. An official calendar has been issued by the Education Office in the new style, but a private issue of old and new style calendars combined has been widely sold .-Reuter to the N. O. Daily News. Promotion for Admiral Tseng.

Peking, Dec. 7. As Admiral Liu has been ap pointed to officiate as Tutuh of Fukien it is intended Admiral Tseng Ju-cheng, who is Hankow which have already defending Kiangnan arsenal last summer, shall replace him Minister of the Navy.—Reuter

China Looking Ahead. Peking, Dec. 7. ernment owned, as there is every early in March. possibility that oil will be requir- Numerous other loan schemes

Government will hold a con- are busy. ference on the 15th instant. Chou There are at present thirty-six Sale of Toys and Dolls G. P.

TELEGRAMS.

TURKISH ARMY.

SCOPE OF GERMAN MISSION.

London. Received December 15. Reuter's correspondent at Con-Tiger has been launched at stantinople says the Grand Vizier have resumed work. to-day will reply to the enquiries She is of 28,000 tons displace of the French and Russian Amment, will have a speed of 28 bassadors in reference to the ap-Limat von Sanders as Commander-in-Chief of the Turkish Army Corps at Constantinopole. will say that the appointment was made at the instance of Mahmoud Pasha and Shefket Pasha on the ground that the results of the employment of foreign advisers have proved unsatisfactory Therefore, it was proposed that foreign officers should enter the Turkish service altogether and receive the actual commands. That course had already been adopted in the appointments of Rear-Admiral Limpus to the command of the Navy, and of the English Colonel Hawker to the command of the Gendarmerie

The County System.

in Armenia. General Sanders's

especially as regards the Straits

and the City of Constantinople,

the garrisons of which will be

under Faik Bey .- Reuter.

Peking, Dec. 8. The Premier has revised the draft of the Bill for the abolition of the provincial system confining its operation to the eighteen provinces, enlarging the "ohows, The movement against the es- dividing each province into two a special system for the frontier provinces.—Reuter to the N. O. Dally News.

The Interpellations.

Peking, Dec. 9. The Government has not yet ber-yard at Devonport, the damanswered the interpellation a dressed to it by Members of Parliament. It is understood, however, that it is intended to point out to Members that it requires a formal meeting of either House to draw up any interpella- dispersing a suffragist demontion and that the Government does not feel called upon to answer questions addressed to it by individual Members. In the absence of a quorum in either House of course, regular interpellations are impossible. — N. C. DailyNews Correspondent.

Loans and Their Limitation.

Peking, Dec. 9. It is now "reported that £6,000,000 of the Industrial Bank loan will be utilized for the reconstruction of Hankow instead of for the construction of the morning. Mr Eldon Potter asked Wuchang-Hankow bridge, while for a judgment to be set aside. the portion intended for the construction of Pukow port and settlement will remain unaltered. This arrangement, apparently, battleship appear on page 3 cuts out several preliminary con. to-day. that tracts for the reconstruction of

Negotiations in regard as the second Quintuple loan con- appears to-day. tinue, although the principals do not look for any definite result prior to April.

It is understood that the The Ministry of the Navy has Chinese Government has made a petitioned the Cabinet, urging it new arrangement regarding the not to issue permits to operate oil old £4,000,000 Austrian loan. properties which should be Gov- a portion of which will be floated

ed as fuel for the navy.-Reuter are affoat. The Premier, Heining Curios - G. P. Lammert's Sale to the N. C. Daily News. Heiling, however, appears deter- Rooms-2.45.p.m. mined not to imperil a further The New Loan.

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| Qui: tnple loan by contracting. The representatives of the more loans upon unfavourable Carios-G. P. Lammert's Sale Quintuple Group and the Chinese terms, but numerous loan agents Rooms-2.45 p.m.

Daily News.

NEWS FOR BUSY MEN.

TELEGRAMS.

CONDENSED.

Mr. Lloyd George's son is now conva escent.

A number of strikers at Leeds

The Mexican rebels have been defeated at Tampico.

Suffragists have burned South ern Leigh Mansion, Bristol.

The battle cruiser Tiger has been launched at Olydebank.

In their match with South

Africa, M.C.C. scored 419 runs for seven wickets. Volcanie oruptions on Ambrym Island, New Hebrides, have caus-

ed great destruction. Mr. Martin Sutton, senior partner in the famous firm of Sutton

and Soes, seedsmen, is dead.

A message from Canea states that Crete has been annexed to Greece with great ceremony.

It is stated that Vice President

Li came to Peking against his

will and is being forced to re-Lord Desborough, President of the Imperal Airfleet Committee,

appeals for a public subscription

of £10,000. General Villa has assumed the role of Dictator at Chihushua commanding foreign Consuls to obey rebel orders.

Russia's proposal for the with drawal of foreign troops from China is criticised by foreigners and Chinese alike. Suffragists have burned a tim-

age being variously catimated between £12,000. and £70,000. Several men, women and children were thrown down and slightly. injured by mounted police while

stration in Bow.

NEWS. "Our Contemporaries" will be found on page 2.

and Commercial news on page 9.

At the Supreme Court this

General news and a report of the launch of a new Japanese

The Royal Hongkong Yacht Club's second cruiser race was to esiled on Sunday and a report

TO-DAY. Victoria Theatre. 9.15 p.m. Bijon Scenic Theatre, 9.15 p.m. TO-MORROW.

Thursday, December 18. Sale of Antique Chica and

Friday, December 19.

Log Book appears on page 6

The extradition case was Continued this afternoon at the Police Court.

DON'T FORGET.

Victoria Theatre 9.15 p.m. Bijou Theatre 9.15 p.m.

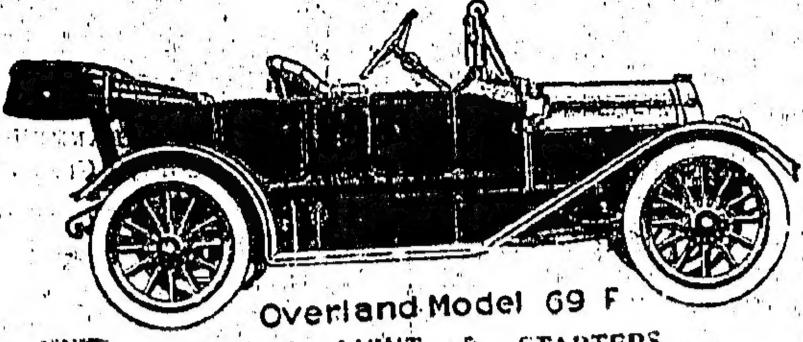
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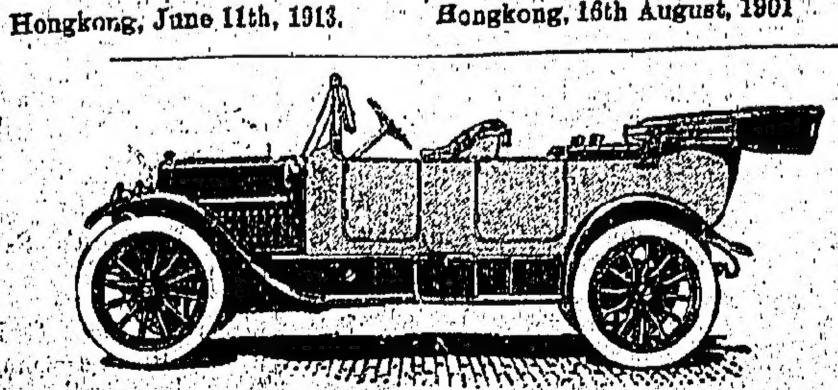
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Daily Press

The Rent Problem. Further communications which have reached us concerning the matter of high rentals in Hongkong, referred to in a letter and the leading article we published esterday, induce us to incher Plaborate the subject. O e question raised is : Are the landlords as rapacious as they are repreented? There are, of course, landlords and landlords, here in Hongkong as everywhere else. There are houses in Hongkong whose rents have been doubled within the past three years; there are many others whose rente have been raised gradually for very good reasons. As to the first class of landlords, we explained some time ago how property alues were inflated in Hong kong. Owing to the disturbed conditions in Chinase Chinase efugees have flocked into the Colony and large numbers of bem have apparently remained. Consequently the pressure on the existing house accommodation has been very great indeed, and Chinese landlords who, by the way, own probably nine-tenths of the house property in Hongkong -have regarded it as a harvest time. Under this pressure of demand they had little difficulty in obtaining very much higher Then came along the Chinese brokers in search of house property for wealthy Chinese from the mainland, and

China Mail,

President Yuan Shih-kai.

humerous indeed.

in the last few years, sales of

properly at extraordinarily high

figures must have been very

Instead of being the selfish ictator that he is erroneously stated to be in certain quarters. President Yuan has proved himself to be an adroit and able statesman who has acted wisely and well for the benefit of his fellow countrymen at a time in their country's welfare that called for the utmost care and prudence. If he had done nothing else than curb the bellicose attitude and the immature policy of such men as revolutions frequently dress with a little brief authority," he would be thoroughly deserving of his country's gratitude. That he did when he overturned the Kuo Ming Tang when it ceased to fulfil its proper functions; and he has done more by setting Ohina upon a course that will ultinwately lead her to a much higherstate of civilization than she has ever before known. In such position as he occupies, fraught 88 it is with innumerable difficullies, he has kept to the path that alone can lead the position to which she has a right to aspire. We therefore repeat that on an impartial consideration of President Yuan's actions he is infinitely more deserving of the title of disinterested Patriot than of the word Dictator when applied to him as it has absurdly huring the past few months.

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GINEPAL NEWS.

Mayor as Alleged Burgiar.

Herr B nhard Haussmann, Mayor of Jarmen, in Pomerania. has been arrested on a charge of there was launched at the Mildu the N. C. Daily Ne ve of 9th inst., robbing the tremury of the town of Unbigan, in the Province of B xony. The burglary was committed in 1906, but the matter oruiser Kirishima, which is the all the other cases pis the or rewas never cleared up. The largest viscol that has ever been volvers were used. In cortain mayor was recently suspended launched from this yard. Invita- respects the crime differs from from office on a charge of sending tions had been issued to 5,000 anchymqua letters of a libellous character.

Fatal Wedding Feast.

thirty-two others have been poisoned, ten of them being in serious condition, as a result, it is believed, of esting from a dish of the G vernment and Mission cream served at a breakfast at schools, and the captain and number. Cholet, in the north-west of France, officers of the Austrian crimier given in honour of the welding of two brothers a amed Pointer and two sisters named Mallet. Trere Prince Krain prived, salute between Avenue Paul Brunat and were over fifty people at the break were fired from the Kaiserin the Great Western Road, was fast; and those who did not rat Elisabeth and the Japineso buthe oream have not been affected. the hip II zen.

Reform of the Lords.

The Press Association says: The Committee of the Cabinet ter of the Navy read a statement which, under the chairmanship relative to the construction of the of the Lord Chancellor, has been examining the subject of reform Mr. Shiota, General Manager of of the House of Lords has, it is of the Dockyard, cut the cord understood, concluded its work Its, scheme for the substitution of an elected Second Chamber for the present hereditury House will; no doubt, be discussed by the bottle of changagno was da-hed age. His clothes were common; whole Cabinet at these meetings with a view to the introduction the band, they die lively march of a Bill in the coming session. Simultancousty han telapping and though bereath it was a robe of The reassembling of Parliament is expected to take place in the second week in February.

Box Hill for the Nation.

The Times announces that M Leopold Salomons, of Norbury Park, Darking, has bought and presented Box Hill to the nation. Mr Salomons, who is a governor of the Royal Agricultural Society and a member of the council of the Shire Horse Society, is one of the most successful breeders of shire borses in the south of England. The area saved to the public and verted in the Nutic nal Trust covers 237 acres and stretches in an unbroken line from Burford Bridge to Upper B x Hill Farm. It embraces "the long green reller of the down " noross which George Meredith so often gazed from his study windows.

A Hard Winter.

a severe winter at Home. It has prosided, and in proposing been observed that the average t ast of The Imperial Navy temperature during the past four expressed or five years has been above the a tendance of Prince Kanin normal, and it is regarded as the coremony and also for tolerably certain that there will nesistance given by the Naval to restoro the balance. Sir Oliver who had supervised the construct Lodge is one of those who warns tion. Mr Shirts referred to the us. There is unanimity of the great progress of Japan in naval. portents, he claims, in support of shipbuilding vessels of equal size weather ere the springtime comes. been launched in England and clear as well as cold.

Climb of 23,400 Feet.

pedition to the Himalayas, who in some degree the defensive scaled the virgin poak Kun, armour and striking power of 23,400ft, high, are now nearing battleship combined with home, with the exception of great steed of an up-to-date Doctor Mario Pincenza, head of cruiser. Her length is 704 feet the party, who has undertaken a breadth, 92 feet; draught, 27 long caravan jourcey across India feet 6 inches; and displacement, certain phases in the police adand Persia. Latters received at 27,500 tons. The keel was laid Turin by the families of the ex- down on March 17, and she plorers narrate the ascent of Kun. will be completed for sea in April, This occupied twenty-seven days. 1915. Her principal armament existing between the Hongkong The party traversed six valleys, will consist of eight 14-irch gons. and crossed the remarkable Drun- The engines, which drung Glacier, twenty-two miles be made at the Mita Bishi to-day. There now exists, howlong. They explored practically Engine Works. Nagasaki, ever, an understanding between the whole of the unknown region will be four Parson's turbordering the scene of the Duke bines, one of high and one of low of the Abruzzi's exploits. Very pressure being on either side of work in this high region for four tions. Coal and oil fuel will be months, says the Chronicle Milan consumed. The contract speed correspondent, and they are bring- is 28 knots. ing home the largest and most. The main armament is to be I one of the big Variety of Himalayas.

JAPANESE NAVY.

Launch of the Battle Cruiser Kirishima.

On Monday, the 1st instant, Eight people have died and Emperor, the foreign Contuls, assassinations which have been Knieerin Elisabeth.

Governor Rinoiye and Foveral naval officers were received by the Prince, after which the Minisvessel and the day's ceremony, he wont to sleep again. which released the vessel within a few minutes the bull was seen to 13 maying on the of about middle height, and apways. As the mevement began a gain t the sale of the vessel and Le wore a long gown such as cheering began among the people silk, the latter was old and did near the vessel and was quickly not suggest that the outer gartaken by the crowds on the hills ment had been adopted as anyabove. On the Nagasaki shore thing in the nature of a disguise. banzui were shouled from Obato The only cutstanding feature to Megami, while the Dockyard in regard to the disposal of the hooters and syrens of the ship man's clothing was that his waistping in harbour joined in the belt had been wrapped round his

ugo vessel taking the water as menth. gracefully as a yacht might have ne and stopping within distance of sto e. Just before tho b d p; ol hitt; the water a large gone out through the top of the lalf sus ended from a miniature low-prit opened, releasing hower of confetti and several over in accordance with the cust in observed at launches Japanese men-of-war.

After the ceremony, the guests where 1,000 prople art down a toold luncheon. Mr. Shiofs, Weather experts are predicting general man ger of the dockyard gratitude "for be a spell of hard lrosty weather authorities, especially the officers other, and this would account his belief that we are in for hard to the Kirishima having only He bases his forecast on the the United States. A sistership succession of mild winters in re- to the Kirishima had recently cent years, and the warmth of been launched at Yokosuka and hods taken to check crime in one last sutumn and summer. Sir now the Mitsa Bishi Dockyard Oliver's reading of the signs had the h nour of having successsuggests that the weather will be fully built a great man-of-war. He congratulated the Imperial Navy on its growth in rower,

The Kirishima is to be a battle-The members of the Italian ex- cruiser, i.e., a vessel possessing

bad weather and extraordinarily the ship, the port and star mard heavy snowstorms were experi- pairs being separated by bolkenced while on the roof of the heads. Four propellers, each of world." The explorers suffered three blades, will be fitted. Thirtyterribly through the difficulty in hix boilers of Yarrow type, in five breathing, and the famous Alpine Loiler rooms, will be installed, ed both in Hongkong and Canton. guide, Savoye, fell seriously, ill. capable of supplying pressure of Both Governments, working in-The party, which numbers several 220 lb. per square inch to the noted scientists, were hard at turbines under ordinary condi-

important collection of scientific fitted so that four guns may be Painty dishes at the ALEXANmaterial jet collected in the fired shead and astern and the DRA CAFE is Sure to tempt whole eight in broadsides.

SHANGHAI REIGN OF TERROR.

Murder in French Concession:

Early Testerday morning, says Bishi Dockyard and Engine another murder was committed Wurks, Nugasaki, the battle- Shanghai, and as in practically those of the proceding weeks, for people, and among these present the hour at which it took place. was II I. II. Prince Kanin, at ties in the whole affair stamp it r pres ntative of His Majesty the anathing apart from the political representatives of the leading among the late tragedies. The business firms, the principals of present theory is that it was revenge by the member of a gang of robbers upon one of their

About 4 a.m. a foreign resident When in Avenue Paulun, which tons awakened by the firing of four shots. He waited to hear if anything further was to happen, but there was no commotion in the neighbourhood, the dogs in the vicinity, ever ready to signal any disturbance, remained silent, and thinking no more of the affair,

At daylight the re-son of the four shots was shown. On the told not far from the house a Chinese was found lying, a man arently about thirty years of unifoon are wont to use, and al

head, partially covering his face, The launch was perfect, the in fact from his eyes to his

Four shots had been hourd. The victim of the murder showed two wounds. One bullet had entered just below the chin and skull, while the second bullet had I lentrated the back.

The fact that he had heen shot both from the front and the back would be nonenal, but if the theory that he was one of a gang f robbers who had gone back proceeded to the drawing loft upon his fellows, be correct; this is easily accounted for. It is a lenstom of Ulinese criminals, when taking solemn vengeance upon a member of a band, for cach men to take his share in doing him to drath. Thus the men might have stood in different places and fired at him, almost at the same time, or one after the for the wounds.

> Lessons from Hongkong. Commenting on the arm smuggling evil, the N. C. Daily News

Although the difference in local conditions makes it difficult to draw comparisons between metplace and another, it is interesting to see what is done in Hongkong, especially in respect of croperation between foreign and Chinese administrations,

In dealing with such a subject, it is well to remember, first of all, that Hongkong and Shanghai are on an entirely different footing to each other. Hongkong, of course, is a British Crown Colony, while the Settlement does not come under British law. But there are ministration of Hougkong and Shanghai which bear a similarity.

It may be said that the relations Government and that of Canton have not always been as they are the two Governments in certain cases which tends to make the detection of crime a much more simple matter than it otherwise would be.

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CHINA'S GILDED YOUTHS.

It was, we believe, Mr. T. P. O'Connor who once remarked that to seven years' penal servitude. the man who wishes to get a real insight into life; should visit a police court. That is true in a limited degree. The perplexities and tragedies of life are laid bore in the Police Court; the happier and more pleasing side of it does not appear. Yesterday, a case was tried before Mr. Hazeland which contained the essence not of one tragedy but of many; which evidenced indeed, a new and re- a trograde movement amongst the younger Chinese. The case was that of an elderly hawker who was charged with being without a licence and who pleaded that he had worked hard when he was younger. A Police Inspector remarked on the fact that the rising generation of Chinese did not now show the same care for parents that formerly existed; and the magistrate said that they were now too fond of green socks and fancy ties.

No one who has watched the unrest amongst the younger Chinese of recent years can deny the truth of this charge. Whatever were the faults of the Chinese in the old days want of filial respect and love was not one of them. Ancestors were (and still are) worshipped. Parents, especially if they had reached old age, were revered. But the new spirit of what is termed progress seems, in some degree, to have killed the old characteristic which other people, who looked on, found altogether admirable. Love of parents has given way to love of dress. When a boy starts to ape his master—or even to outdo him in magnificence of its death by a fall while trying to attire; and we have seen this—the pendulum has awang too far the oatch a bird on the ledge of a wrong way. Progress is not to be secured by imitating costly externals but by copying the test of thoughts and feelings beneath the surface. A fancy whistcoat counts for a deal less than the heart mony. One has disquieting rethat beats beneath it, and that is what the younger generation of collections of a speech in which Chinese has yet to learn.

It is a curious thing that the imitative man seldom imitates the for cutting down the allowance best in his model. He copies the other's mannerisms rather than of the Central Telegraph Office one month. his manners, his peculiarities rather than his normalities, mistaking cat, which he found down in the these for the real man, That is what young China is doing. In its Civil List for eighteen-pence a anxiety to make progress along Western lines it seems too ready to snoe was promptly reduced, and it past away the best of its own tried civilisation for much of the worst, was intimated to the cat that he of another. Perhaps that was inevitable, but surely not so inevitable, but surely not surely an evil day for China if parental respect becomes a negligible pitality. This, said Mr. Buxton, quantity, for then there can be no true patriotiem. They two things in order to show that they were are the same in spirit, and patriotism was nover more wanted in "a Government of efficiency and Ohing than it is at present.

What Next ?

The trend of recent fushions among women has repared our be no surprise, therefore, that the LAUGH AT HAS ACHIEVED la ost about to, miniting of PHILOSOPHY ALL HIS OWN." course from lans, is in the form of coloured hair. We learn that wigs, blue, rose and green, have Siberian Mail. Left per s.s. Paul, morning, Sir William Rees Davies perty in Hongkong, is to say sailed on Sunday. The course appeared in the leading Parisian theatres on the heads of would-be French Mail Left per leaders of scoiety, much to the horror or those who favor Siberian Mail.—Arrived per s s. orthodox fashions. We all know. the craze, some time back, by which women endeavoured to match their shoes and their clothes, and we also know how of the smart rouths whose ore ambition in life is to possess socks and ties with colours whic's harmonise. But the luly with the coloured locks is quite a new de velopment.

Horrid Possibilities. It appears that this terrible frenk has been inspired by the Four blankers valued at 38 Balken War, which has for the have been stolen from Captain moment popularised Bulgarian Haggar's orderly at Kowloon. eccentric wiga have as their excuse the point that the tint of the borrowed locks matches that of his two-days' sale of valuable antheir dresses. But even that tique china and curios to-morexcuse, we hope, is hardly strong row at 2.45 p.m. at his sales of the plaintiff for \$4,503.73, and enough to lead to the probability rooms. of the world of fashion yielding to the crude suggestien of blue or green hair. If it is, we shall begin to look out for some such development as the powlering of faces in barmony with the vivid wig. Then the dear isdies would

RELEASED TO-DAY.

We are hoping for the best.

Conviction of Three Years ago Recalled.

We understand that, after serv. of \$32. ing less than three years, on a sentence of seven years' imprisonment, John Grant, who was for ed of having stolen fur to the special procedure, peculiar merly in the P. W. D. as an engineer, was this morning released customer who had left it with a and leaves for Home to-day.

The trial of Grant took place on January 4, 1911, before Sir Francis Piggott and a special Assistant Superintendent of Pri jury, the charge being :- (1.) sons is due to arrive in Hong-Having in his possession a cheque kong from Home on or about the belonging to Kenrick Roberty 28th or 29th inst. and stolen outside the Colony; 12). Having forged the same cheque for payment of \$260; (4:) putting on a ferry from Kowloon Having obtained by this means to Hongkong at 8.45 a.m. IO.U., S. for \$260 signed by E. There were other charges, but they were not pro ceeded with.

-Prisoner was found guility on all counts, and was sentenced

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

At the Police Court, yesterday, Chinese was charged with attempting suicide, by Inspector Gerrard. The inspector informed the Court that the defendant had fallia into bad company and had been gambling. He had stolen \$40 from his mother and when he was repreached he attempted suicide by stabbing himself.

The defendant was allowed to go, on his parents promiting to look after him.

SCOTLAND YARD CAT

Government's Parsimony.

The Scotland Yard cat Thomas Tom" for short), which has met hours' stocks. sixth-storey window, was not, it is to be hoped, compelled to that Mr. Sydney Buxton, as Postmasweek, " for feeding." The allow-600numy.

DAY BY DAY.

for I line-t anything. There need when TO LAUGH, AND WHAT TO

.The Mails,

Lecat at 6 a.m. to-day.

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Scorpion Dancse. The next dance of the Scorpion

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To-night's Dance.

the Governor General of Indo. tiffs in this case originally applied China, Vice-Admiral Jerram is for leave to serve notice of the giving a dance on H.M.S. Mino- writ of summons out of jurisdictaur to-night.

Late Captain Jesus. A Mass will be said to-morrow morning at 7.30 at the Roman Catholic Cuthedral for the soul of the late Capt. J. F. X. de Jeanof the Kwong Chow Wan.

Theft & Clothing. A Chiness Customs Officer living at 3 Victoria View. Kowloon

reports the theft of clothing from the act... the servants quarters to the value Absconding Foki. An absconding fokl is suspect-

value of . \$35 belonging to a tailor to make up. New Official. We understand that the new

Additional Ferry. Business plople in Knowloon cheque drawn on the name of E much appreciate the foresight of Roberts; (3.), Having utlered the the "Star" Ferry Co. Ltd. in

> Jubilee Read Murder, A further errest had been made in connection with the Jubilee Road murder. The prisoner sp peared this morning before M R. Wood and was remanded until Tuesday next.

> > Burglary at Kowloon,

A burgiary took place yesterday at about 10 p.m. at 4 Minden Villas, Kowloon . It is thought that the burglars broke into the house through the bath room window at the top of the coolie

Returned. Mrs V. H. Copley Moyle and child returned to the Colony on the P: & O. ac. Borneo, from home. Mr and Mrs T. O'Sullivan returned to the Colony from leave on the P. & O. s.s. Borneo. Mr Sullivan is usher at the Supreme

Stolen Jacket. A man who was caught, pawn ing a jacket by the bolice at Wes Point was found afterwards have stolen the article st Wan chai. He was affected and to day Mr Hozeland at the Police Court sentenced him to month's hard labour and four

Indecent Pictures. pictures and sent to prison for

Latest Advertisements. Kowloon at 7.30 a.m. from the Lord, that it is a section which Demand for Confucianism in 22ud inst. until faither notice, certainly should be brought into the return train leaving Taipo operation in this Court in every

spirits on the 20th inst. Page 6. peculier to Hongkong, and is a volution,

INTERESTING APPLICATION. to the greatest hardship upon an

Mr. Potter Asks for Judgment of the proceedings in Hongkong to be Set Aside.

all you have to do, after you K.C., Chief Justice, sitting in the cause of action arises in was :- Lama Island, starboard. Original Jurisdiction, heard an Hongkong, and the defendant is The race was sailed in a good Australienat k. 15 p.m. to-day. application in the case of Kwong property in Hongkong and you Yacht Club at 10 a.m. Wo-cheang, plaintiff, against formally attach his property. If The following yachts started: Chauka-heung, in which Mr. you prove your case you satisfy La Cigale, Cutter, Messre. Eldon Potter, on behalf of the the Judge of the debt, although Meyer and Backhouse; Iris, cutor the said action retried, that al proceedings therein be stayed.

Mr. Potter was instructed by R. A. Harding.

plication, said, this man was dollars while the whole amount asking for the judgment in favour costs, to be set saide and asking for a retrial of the action and leave In connection with the visit of to defend the same. The plain-

> His Lurdship: - They got leave to serve notice of the writ out of jurisdiction?

Mr. Potter: Yes, but that i hietorical. I do not think any point arises on that The next step of importance is that the plaintiffs then applied for a writ of foreign attachment under the eproial provisions

His Lordship : —After?

Mr. Potter replied in the affirmative, and said that it was a Hongkong by which after a writ was issued, if the cause of action was within jurisdiction and the defendant had property within jurisdiction, be could apply for a writ of fcreign attachment if the defendant was out of jurisdiction. He did not think, as a matter of fact, the plaintiffs in this care could satisfy the first necestary condition under Section 453, Lecause so far as he could see the action did not arise within jurisdiction at all.

His Lordshil: -- What happened in this case?

Mr. Potter said a writ was that he is now making this issued and the plaintiffs got a writ of foreign attachment which meant that the defendant's property was attached, which was worth twenty thousand dollars That of course the plaintiffs were entitled to do, assuming atheir action arose within jurisdiction. They subsequently brought the for him to ask your Lordship for before 5 o'clock. case before his Lordship, formally, and obtained attachment."

money, because he would have His Lord-hip :- Farmally prov- everything to lose and nothing their case in Court? to gain. If a man had no proper-Mr Potter - Yes, proved the ty or had unsubstantial property debt. We say we had no notice making the same effort because of application at all. They he might not gain but he could formally proved their, debt and not lose, it would be different, but got judgment. These proceed- here is a case of a man who con- morning, the hearing was continings, my Lord, are taken under not gain, anything unless he used by Mr. Justice Comperty in rection 476 of the code. It reads doesn't owe the money, but may which Yee Sing and Company. as follows The defendant may at lose not only what he was os Post Office Buildings, sued JA: any time within twelve months under your Lordship's judgment. Chue, a clerk in the employ of after that judgment, notwith but a considerable amount more Messrs Deacon, Looker, Deacon, standing the property or any part in costs. All that goes to show and Harston, for the sum of thereof may have been sold, apply the man must be bons fide. If \$1,195,38, the price of goods sold to the Court on notice of motion, this was a judgment by default, and delivered by the plaintiffs to to have the order set saide, the I do not think your Lo-dehip the defendant. adgment, and for a retrial of the would have any doubt at all Mr. J. H. Gardiner represented action and leave to defend the that he would grant a rehearing the complainant and Mr. same, and if it appears to the of this case. I sulm't that this Steavenson, of Messrs Descon, Court that the defendant had not is a fortion case where a man Looker, Descon and Harston, known of or had knowledge of is resident in a foreign country, defended: the case and could not reasonably where there is ample security not! The defendant said: that the !. have made an application to the only to satisfy the cost of any claim goods belonged to his brother A Chinese who purports to Court at the time plaintiff but also the costs of any sub who had gone to Australia. Detrade in olives and other Chinese obtained judgment and still has sequent proceedings. There is an fendant only acted as agent for predatory step by official parsi- delicacies runs an indecent pic- a substantial ground of defence, ample case made out to satisfy his brother and saw only to the ture exhibition as an advertising either whole or in part to the you the defendant had no notice the forwarding of the goods. The line. This morning at the Police action on the minutes, it shall be or knowledge of the act according plaintiffs had called upon him to Court he was charged before Mr lawful to do so." That section to the section. ter-General, took credit to himself Hazeland with exhibiting indecent is specially provided to cover the The case was adjourned sine die, suces from him brother. o se of a defendant who has had for the amplification of certain no notice of the action against affidavita. him, therefore judgment is given An additional train will leave by default. "I will aubmit, my

another attractive boxing tourna- especially where no hardship will Confucian Society that President certain amount inste d of allow-ment for Christmas Eve.—Page 5. be inflicted on the plaint ifs, as Yuan Shih-kai shall insert the ing the case to comminto Court; Mr. G. P. Lammert is selling a in this case, because this pro- classics into the objects taught in that was his suggestion only; big assortment of wines and codore of foreign attachment is the schools as Defore the re- The case had not concluded

YACHTING. Royal Hongko g Yacht Club's Second Cruiser Race.

procedure which is likely to lead

absent defendant, if in fact,

they have not had full knowledge

about five thousand dollars odd.

laimed and everything.

some months ago.

t at ten thousand.

got actual judgment for

specie in Hongkong; it is there

allow this judgment to go on?

whole of this debt, the fac-

application for a retrial and

knowing the costs of that retrial;

this action at all. Bacause it

seems to me it would be absurd

this trial, if in fact he owed the

\$4,503.73 and \$909

anvone can attach it.

Because under this procedure The Royal Hongkong Yacht At the Suprem Cout; this issue a writ, if he has pro- Club's second cruiser rece was

latter, asked that the judgment of the man is outside jurisdiction ter, Officers of the Taman; April 13,1913, in which the de and very possibly, does not know Oenone, Chinese rig. H. E. Hon. lendant was ordered to pay the a little bit about the action. I Claud Severnand Major Palmer; plaintiff the sum of \$4,503.73, think in this case, as a matter of Miranda, Chinese rig, Mr. G. K. and o sta to be taxed, to be set fact, it must be admitted, no Hall Brutton; Snipe, Chinese rig, aside and for the retrial of this hardship will accrue to the plainaction, and for leave to defend tiff if you Lordship makes the Chinese rig, Mr. A. Denison;
the same. He asked that until order I sak for, except that the Scotengden. Chinese rig. Mr. the said-judgment be set aside, payment of the debt, if in fact D. K. Blair; Flore, Chinese the debt is due them-and we say rig, Commodore Anstruther, R.N. it is not will be a little delayed The yachts had a run down the pending the hearing of this action. harbour mostly with spinnakers Mr. Heywood (Mr. L. D'Almada), But no other hardship can accrue set passing through the Sniphur and Mr. F. C. Jenkin, for the to them because they have ample Channel at about 10 40. They plaintiff, was instructed by Mr. security in the shape of the pro- then rau into the usual calm perty attached. I am instructed south of Mount Davis locally Mr. Potter, in opening his ap- it is worth twenty thousand known as the sea of Saragossa. It took about half an hour to get cut of this calm. The Mirands. of this claim plus the cost is only Oenone and Snipe getting off His Lordship:-Five thousand? with a long lead, rounding the eastern point of Lamma Island at Mr Potter : - Approximately about 12 oclock, only about two six thousand, the full amount minutes between first and third boats. The wind here increased in His Lordship :- It is attached. strength and the boats were hard to Mr Potter: Yes it is attached seer with a beam wind. The under your Lordship's orders next boat to sound was Durothy about aquarter of an hour after the Mr Jenkin :- The agent values first boat. Then came Lagtengden some 5 minutes later and La Cigale two or three minutes; be-Mr. Potter: - I am willing to hind ber, Flore and Iris having a take it at that. They have profight for last place. After roundperty of ten thousand dollars to ing the south-east point the wind attach for a debt of five thousand. got very violent and reefs were They have ample security. taken in by all the Chinese rigged my Lord, and it is fair to say the boats. Here several mistortunes: only hardship that can accrue to coourred. The Miranda had a them or fall upon them if your Lordship grants the application, is stay give way, the Snire sprung that the actual realisation of their per met, and the Fcottenden broke wo bamboos of her maindebt will be postponed for some sail. The sea, wind being against, space of time. The amount they tide, was rath r violent and it was a risky thing to libe, the \$5,412, the full amount of the only one doing so being Scotengden, and she broke her bambags debt an lossts. There is no by doing so. After clearing the question about him getting his Island the wind and sea both money if, in fact, that money is moderated consideralby and sail due to him. This is landed was increased again on all house. Oenone and Dorothy went through the Sulphur channel and no doubt llis Lordship; -Why did on gained a little by doing so. The rest went outside Green Island. Mr Potter :- Because we had After an uneven ful beat up the no knowledge of it. I think the harbour the leading boats crossed fact that this man has ample pro- the line as follows: perty in this Colony to satisfy the

in itself does a good leal to show Oenon that he is honest when he sug-3.17. 0 3.17. 0 3 gests, as he does through his Scipe 3.28.42 3.26.42 4 solicitor, he had no knowledge of Dorothy 3.35.58 2.58.58 1 La Cigale 4.12.15 5. 0.15 5

No other boats crossed the line

ONLY AN AGENT.

Lawyer's Clerk Sued for

In the Summary Court, this

see if there bad bean any remit-

Mr. Gardiner asked the defendant if he had not tried to arrange a compromise before that action came into Court?

Defendant said he tried to arrange a compremise, but he did

Apot we Ment to brees

THE KWONG YIK BANK

A Stormy Croditor. Meeting.

A meeting of the meditors of the Kwong Yak Bank ne Company was held at the Chinese Ch. mbor of C mmerce, Sin tapore, nu D conber 6, but despite the fact that the situation was discussed For cluse on two hours, no deficite line of future action was agreed upon, and it was decided to invite the creditors to elect representatives to confer with the Directors at a later meeting.

Dr. Lim Boon keng presided over very noisy proceedings, there being many interruptions by the large crowd of working class Chinese, amalia small tradesmen. coolies, cto., who represent the majority of the Bank's creditors The addresses of the European gentlemon with have had the tisk of ascertaining the ex ct position of the concern had to be translated into Chinese which considerably lengthened the proceedings.

The first speaker was Mr The two will be better published Charles C. Dunmin who has been logether. in charge of the Bink's affire since it suspended payment. Mr and Delay, the legal advisors to Durman read the following bal- the Company, stated that the anca sheet which bad l. n pro pared by him:-

20th November 1913

Linbilities.

Due to Singapore Banks. On Current Accounts ...

Interest to date (Es-

timyte)...

securities of Promissory Notes as Including interest

Interest to date (Estimated)

Bilance Down :-Surplus of face

value of acrets over liabilities... 1,328,737.08 \$5,416,468 60

Aerets. Due by Singapore 14 980.03 Bunks ... Das on Current Accounts including interest to date 3,810,696.48

Loans. Premissory Notes taken over by Bank and Cre-

dited in current necounts Promissory Notes

held by Bank at recurity... Other loans, partly secured ...

Note: There is an amount due for accrued interest. Investments. Partly paid up shares

at cost, under line to sundry creditors 163,000.00 Cash in hands of the 15,253 40 Receiver !

\$5,410,468 60 Capital: -850 shares of \$1,000 fully paid 850,000 00 Surplus

and the monthly balance used idea of claiming the champion-to contain more or less large un-discovered errors, which at the within the stipulated period of stated at their face value, many

the meeting on the affairs of the hai by the R. M. S. Empress of stated that the cruiser and the Taipo Market at 8.09 p.m. calling

of the debts are unsecured, and

SPECIAL CABLES.

FOREIGN TROOPS IN CHINA.

(Fro.n Our Own Ourrespondent.) Shanghai. Received D c. 10. The Russian proposal for the withdrawal of foreign troops from Northern China is adversely criticised by foreigners and Chinese alike.

The latter point out that Russian goodwill has ample ge we I routlet in Monsolia.

THE VICE-PRESIDENT IN

IS HE STAYING 'G INST HIS WILL?

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Shanghai, Received Dec. 16 Vice Pre ident Li Yuan-lung is remaining in Poking for the present whore his presence will undoubtedly strengthen President Yuan's hand.

capit al against his will, and is being forced to remain.

Some quarters in l'eking suggest that he went to the

To-day.

Hazeland at the Police Court, ex

tradition proceedings were com-

men od in which the Canton

Government desires the extradi-

tion of Chan Wong, sliss Chan

Yun, who is charged with two

murders and hurglary, at Esn

Obaen in Pok Ho district

of Kwangtung. The offences were

alleged to have hen a mmitted

Mr. P. M. Hodgion, Assistant

Mr. Hazeland at the Police

Court this afternoon remanded

formally until to-morrow Change

THE BASEBALL TOUR.

An Interesting Match in Jaran.

(Japan) on the 6th instant, the

White Sox

Weaver B.B.

Speaker o.i.

Urawford r.f.

Egan 3rd

Daly, 1st

Evans, l.f.

Slight, c.

Benz, p.

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and the result of the game. was:-

speed and alacrity of the base

stealing too, was a revelation to

the Japanese. It was especially

interesting to watch the reerless

Manager McGraw signalling to

his men by his attitude and to

see the strict discipline of his

players Callahan's men who

scemed to work the slick with

bet'er results, obtained the vio-

tory. The White Sox are now

leading in the cories with one

Union Jack in Manila.

epiciously in Manila Bay to-day

The Union Jack will fly con-

game ahead."

the Japan Advertiser says;

American baseball teams now on

tour lined up as follows:

Gianti

Donlin, c.f.

McGeo, J.f.

Lobert, 3h.

Doyle 2nd

Merkle lst

Doolan, s.a.

Thorpe, r.f.

Wingo, c.

Wiltse, p.

Giants

White Sux

in a raid on the village.

and Hastings, defended.

treasury of Kwong Tung.

This afternoon before Mr. F. A.

EXTRADITION CASES. are now preparing a statement

Mr Everett of Mesars Sisson Directors had made efforts to raise fresh capital and had approached The Kwong Yik Banking Co. Lok Yew who had offered \$500,-Ltd. S:stement of affiles as at 000, conditional on Chivese merchants being satisfied with affairs. Application had been made through the Chinese Consul t) the Chinese Government for On Loans !.. ... \$200,000.00 nesistance, but no roply had been received The present position was 744,633 23 that, without further assistance, the Directors did not feel they Mr D. H. Lewis of Mest a John-... 5,000.06 c utd continue, and they wished the creditors to consider whether son, Stokes and Master, and Mr \$949,633.23 the Bank should be reconstituted. Davidson, of Messes Hastings Note. Banks hold various and, if the latter, in what manuer. A good deal of discussion

per contra; also morigages or followed, many of the creditions. guarantees given sundry persons. | addressing the remainder from Due on Current Accounts. | the platform. Proresitions were put forward and finally after a to date ... \$1,805,246.98 good deal of confusion it was Due to Depositors 1,378,351 23 decided to afford the creditors the opportunity of selecting amongst 54,500.00 themselves representatives to meet the Directors in another three 1,432,851.33 week's time with a scheme either for the winding-up of the concern or its continuation. - Singapore Free Press.

WORLD'S SCULLING CHAMPIONSHIP.

Paddon to Meet Barry on the Thames.

Jan es Paddon, the Australian sculler who recently beat Richard Arnet, the world's ex-champion, in a race for the Austrlian chempionship, has lost no time in greeing to a match with E nest Barry for the world's championship. The Colonial's supporters offered to guarantee Barry match on the Pariamita, but the champion did not accept, and he cabled a reply expressing his willingness to meet Paddon on the Thomes for £500 or £1,000 side. Recently the world's champion. received the following cable from Paddon:-

Paddon will row £500, Thames, early September. What will be allowed for expenses?

Burry has replied as follows: Will row Paddon £500 Thames. September. Must rely on friends

It is pensible that a complicated situation might arise in connection with the world's championship, in view of the fact that W. Balance Down \$1,328,737.06 Albany challenged the champion The following note appeared at to a race for the title and £200 a the foot of the balance sheet:-I side. Barry, however, resolutely have prepared the above state- declines to scull for less than ment from information supplied £500 a side, although the world's to me, and as far as possible as championship rules empower certained that it is in accordance scullers of the same country to with the Books. In the past the foull for £200 a side. If Albany's present time amount to about three months, who will Puddon 635,000. The assets are all soull when he gots to England?

in a number of cases the eccurity is of doubtful value or irregular. Sir Havilland de Sa smarez. OHARLES C. DUNMAN. | Sir Havilland de Sau marez, Word was received at the British at 7.35 p.m. Taipo at 7.59 p.m. and Chartered Account int. Ju go of the British Supreme consulate telling of the coming of arriving Taipo Market at 8.04 p.m. The Receiver then addressed Court, left Vancouver for Shang- the five fighting vessels. It is The return train will leave bank and made some severe ro- Russia, Ludy de Sausmarez being four destroyers will remain in at Taipo at 8.12 p.m., Shatin at marks on the management, and with him. They are due at port until Sunday. Both the 8.26 p.m., Yaumati at 8.38 p.m. some general remarks. We un Shanghai about the 20th inst., British colony and army and and arriving Kowloon at 8.45 p.m. deretand that there took the and the Judge procesds to Hang- pavy circles are arranging for the Directors by surprise, not having kong in the early rait of January cutertainment of the visitors dur- Manager. been submitted to them, and they to sit in the appeal court. ing their stay in port.

DAIRY FARM NEWS.

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Sau nam, whose extradition to China is sought by the Canton Government on a charge of stealing \$150,000 belonging to the

To-day's Advertisements.

HERE!

BOXING. In their match at Sbingawa

BOXING.

(H.M.S. Hampshire).

8 ROUNDS.

AT THE CITY HALL. HONGKONG. ON WEDNESDAY, 24TH DECEMBER 1913, COMMENCING AT 9 P.M. SHARP.

> 15 ROUNDS. Heavyweight Contest. Stoker Alford,

10 ROUNDS. Welterweight Contest.

Schneier (H.), 2nd Sky Kerrison, v. Signalman Wilkinson, (Hongkong). (H.M.S. Minotaur).

Lightweight: Contest.

For the Amateur Lightweight-Champion-Mr. Dickson, ROUNDS. Feather weight Contest. (H.M S. Minotaur).

Sapper Richards, v. Seaman Taylor, Private Smith, v. Stoker Sullivan, (H.M.S. Minotaur) BOOKING AT MOUTRIE & Co. Ring Side Seats \$5, Other Seats \$3, \$2 and \$1. F. E. HALL, Promoter.

FOOTBALL.

Commenting on this game, the Hongkong meet the Newcastle.

"The teams seem to move like | The Hongkong Club team to clock-work. Each signal is ex- meet. H.M.S. Newcastle on the acily followed and the tempire's Club ground to-morrow at 5 p.m. decision is obeyed silently. It is is as follows: P. H. Cobb; A. this system of arbitration that the Hamilton and M. L. Railton; C. ball-players of the country must L. Cookes, W. B. Rigden and R. note and develop so that further F. Long; T. C. S. Robson, I. L. friction in international baseball Goedenberg, C. Edgecumbe, T.

games may be sverted. The Hinton and N. L. Railton. Foreigner's Death at Yokobama. who for eighteen years has been profes or of English literature in the Eccond High School, Tokyo.

> To-day's Advertisement

KOWLOON CANTON BAILWAY. (British Section). NOTICE.

say the Cablenews American of the 12th inst., for H. M. S. Hamp. ON and from MONDAY Dec., 22nd, 1913, and until further abire, first class cruiser, abdafour notice an additional train will torpado brat destroyers are due leave Kowloon at 7.30 p.m. for bere this morning from Borneo. Taipo Market calling at Yaumati

H. P. WINSLOW, Kowloon, 15th Dec. 1913. [1076

To-dap's Advertisements

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WED'DAY, 17th

(WEDNES., 14th

TUES: 30th

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T. 12,500 \ Dec., at noon.

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EXCURSION TO MACAO SUNDAY, 21st December.

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Sunday morning at 7.30 a m. and from Hongkong at 12 30 p m. from the Company's Wing Lok Street Wharf. FARES Saloon...Single \$3.00 . Return \$5,00.

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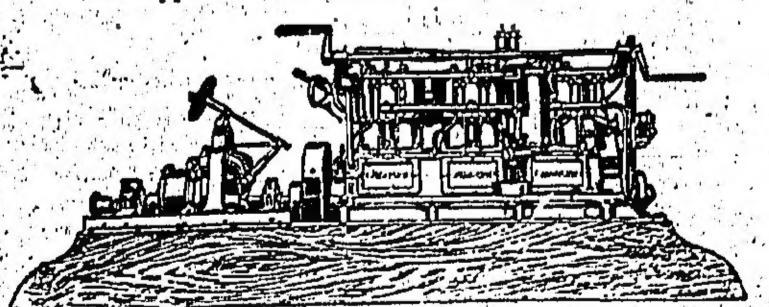
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The as. CHINA sailed from Yokohama Friday 12th instant, at noon for Hong-kong, via Manila. The United States mails have been transferred to to Nippon Yused Kalsha's s.s. KAGA MARU which is scheduled to arrive at Hongkong on the 21st instant.

The s.s. SIBERIA will be despatched rom Hongkong for San Francisco on Wednesday, July 17th, at 1 p.m., instant, of Tuesday at 1 p.m. as previously advised.

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expected here on or about the 31st of The P. & O. s.s. BORNEO left Singapore for this Port on the 10th instant, at 7 a.m. and is due here on the 16th instant, at

The Ben Line s.s. BENLAWERS from Autwerp, Middleabro London loft Singapere for this port on the 11th instant, and may be expected to arrive here on or about

the 18th instant. The Mogul Line s.s. GHAZEE from United Kingdom left Singapore yesterday morning, and is therefore due here 'on or

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Cheongshing, Br. s.s. 1,256, V. McC Liddell, 26th November-Weihaiwei 21st November, Gen .-Jardine, Matheson & Co. Fooshing, Br. s.s. 1,423, J. M. Hay, 30th November—Bangkok 20th Nov., Rice. Jardine. Matheson & Co. Maru, Japanese s.s. 847, 8. Takushige, 3rd Dec.—Tamsul via

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Ceylon Maru, Jap. s.s. 3,142; T. Noguchi, 12th instant—Kobe 7th instant, Gen-N. Y. K. Eastern, Br. a.s. 2,272, F. Carter, 12th instant -Sydney, 19th ult., Gen.

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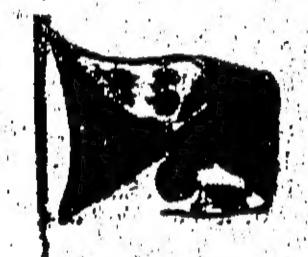
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President, he said that the Queen of Netherlands was paying close attention to the changes going on in China, that she hoped that China would become strong and prosperous, and that the smice bl bond between the two countries which had been in existence for several centuries would become

still stronger. The President replied by saying that he was pleased to receive the Credet tisls and that he desired to tender thanks to the Queen of Netherlands for the good sentiments expressed nig rding the Chinese Republic and he would le all be could to improve the amicable relations between the

two countries. His Excellency was accompanied by Barn Nagell and other members of his staff.

COMMERCIAL.

The Cotton Trade.

Mesers. Richard Haworth & Co.'s weekly circular dated Manobester, Novermber 20, contains he following:

The Mid-American market has been very quiet during the week pending the publishing of the Government Ginning figures tomorrow. In spite of very favour-All claims must reach us before to receive from your hands the able weather having been experthe 23rd of Dec. 1913, or they Letter of Credence from your lenced lately for the movement of Angust Sovereign accrediting cotton on the other side, it is very you as his Envoy Extraordinary remarkable and worthy of note and Minister Plenipotentiary to how the interior and port receipts have fallen off; this seems to in-The sincere wishes which dicate a rapid decrease from now His Majesty oberishes for the onwards. It appears certain that General Agents, welfare, and prosperity of the during the next few weeks the sentiments which His Majesty for sale in Liverpool, and afterextends to me are deeply appre wards will not be able to be ciated: I am glad to avail my replaced, as already a good salf of this opportunity to deal of trouble has occurred at the rate. reciprocate them to His Majesty over several shipments-by their turning up much lower than ex-"To the relations b tween pected; offers of high grades from

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Sir Jordan was accompanied Trade with India is on a very by Mr Alston, Major R bertson small scale and only sorting up and others of the British Legation. buying is mentioned. Demand His Excellency J. F. Backsorts from China appears fairly healthy van Blokland, Envoy Extraordin- and transactions in special makes ary and Minister Plenipotentiary of staples have been arranged in of Netberlands to Chin , presented a few instances; fancy descriphis Credentials to the President tions also continue in request but at 4 p.m. In his address to the delivery frequently stand+ in the way of progress.

Tea Report. Mersrs. Wm. Jas. & Hy. Thompson's weekly circular dated London. November 20, contains the following with reference to the China tea market in London Arrivals: Nore with 3,942 packages and 284 packages in transit; China with 2,355 packages. At public sales 418 packages were offered, all of these were withdrawn. Privately : Af ir inquiry exists for black leif, up to 6 i. per

lb., and a few parcula are reported to have changed hands. Messra. Lloyd, Matheson and Carritt report regarding China tea :- The market continues to show firmness, and attractive value is still offered to buyers in New Season's black leaf Congous at 51d. to 7d. per lb. In the finer qualities of Ningohows. Keemuns and Ichangs a fair quantity has changed hands at

last week's quotation .

Bullion. Measrs. Mocatta and Goldsmid's weekly circular dated London. November 21, states that "the silver market has shown decided weakness and with the exception of the 18th instant, when there WAR & recovery of 11. the price has fallen every day till 26.-15/161. the lowest quotation since last July has been reached to-day. Both India and China have sold freely during the downward course of the market and buyers have been very scarce, even the Bears whose former sales are now falling due, preferring to postpone their commitments rather than cover them outright. The outlook for the market is consequently very uncertain, and, Hongkong, 9th Dec. 1913. [1068 Chinese Republic and the cordial best of the crop will be offered. China buying to-day, in the absence of any substantial support the present level would seem high enough and we close dull

> Japan's Silk Trade. The export of raw silk has been very active this year. The 'otal value of the staple exported up to the end of October amount

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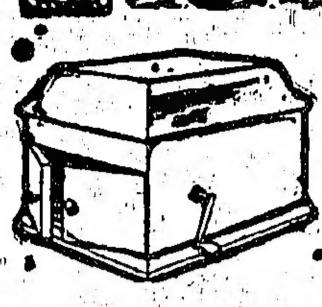
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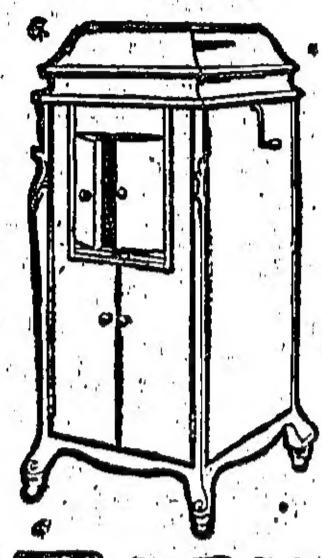
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BRITISH TRADE WITH FAR EAST.

The Board of Trade returns for October state that under exports the continued alump in cotton yarn shipments to China in October, fell to less than half the dimensions recorded in the previous October. The value of purchases by the Dutch East Indies and the Straits Settlements were, on the other hand, higher. somewhat similar result is reflected in the figures for the longer period. Turning to the great simple of British trade with Fast Aria, cottop piece goods business with China shows up well, and much better than market reports had led us to expect. There was an increase in Octcber's exports thither of over £400,000 at compared with the corresponding month of last year. Advances in value are also renorded in the ase of the Dutch East Indies at Siam, but the trade with Japa, and the Straits Commodious Premises No. 38& 40 Settlements show. la considerable falling off. For ten months the cotton goods hat to China are valued nearly £3,000,000 higher than last' ye t, and the Straits Sottlements. le Dutch East Indies, and Siam STO BISO been considerably be tomers. The linen pie goods trade with the Dutch Col. v and Japan was dull last 100. also apparently was that in len and worsted tissues with and Japan. Taking the lo. period, however, the latter co try has bought consideral larger supplies of both woollt and, worsted tissues, whereas the figures for China are smaller. than in 1912. Big shipments of sulphate of ammonia were rent to Japan in the month under to consideration, but rather less to El

and metal manufactures, it may

ments and the F. M. S. together sent double the quantity of that article reaching Great Britain from Brazil. Hemp imports from the Philippines were larger. Straits tin shipments also show an increase, but a considerably lower price was obtained as compared with last year. The bullion returns show that £70,000 worth of the white met I we to China last month.

The American Golf Champion. It was announced at a banquet given by the Woodland Golf Club Boston, in honour of Mr Francis Ouimet, the gotf champion, that the club will send Mr Ouimet to Metals. England next summer to compete in the smateur championship

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LESSONS IN CHINESE.

[R. LI HON FAN, a Chinese graduate versed in literahas been a teacher to ean officials and merchants. Colony for over ten years. the Dutch East Indies. Passing in s a good method of trainon the figures concerning metals ing aropeans to pass in the Chinese examination, and may be observed that whilst the possessed of a first rate certificate trade looked up last month, Japan as a Chinese teacher: He has has so far this year spent con- also a good knowledge of Mandaeiderably less on ship, bridge rin and Hakka.

Those who intend learning the and boiler plates, and black sheets. Amongst the other re- Chinese language are requested sults, are the large supplied of Hollywood Road, 1st floor. iron or steel rails which continue Hongkong, 29th Jan., 1912.



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HANDSOME DONATIONS

The Diocesan Girls' School Building Fund.

The Committee of the Diocesan Girls' School Building Fund bes Zug JAPAN, 18th Dec., 10.30 a.m. to acknowledge the donations set Bhanghal and North China---Per LU-CHOW, 18th Dec., 3 p.m. out below. Further contribu-R. W. tions will be gratefully received the Hon. Treasurer, Mr. 1 F. B. L. Bowley.

Amount already acknowledged ., \$10,176.47 Mrs G. M. Harston,

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A Coming Marri ge, Sir Henry Bux-Ironaide, who is to be married very shortly to Mrs. James Jardine, widow of Mr. James Jardine, K.C. and daughter Swatow of the late General Frank Russell, C.M.G., is British Minister to Servia, and was formerly Minister to Switzerland. He is a widower. his first wife, who die! in 1910, 13 being a daughter of Count Ferson-Gyldenstolpe of Sweden. Henry was Secretary of Lagricu and Charge d'Affaires in Piking 1897.

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The Himalaya, with the English Mail left Singapore on Saturday, 13th inst., at a.m. and is due to arrive here on to fall and 14 runs to get, to win, Thursday the 18th inst., at 10 a.m. This packet brings the parcel mails closed in London for despatch by the all-sea route on the 12th uls. and for despatch overland on the 19th ult.

English, Himalaya, 18th inst

MAILS ARRIVED TO-DAY Chiyo Maru, Siberian. Chili, Amoy Hanol, Haiphong

Lasries, Saigon Devawongse, Saigon Haimun, Coast Ports Tungshing, Salgon MAILS CLOSE TO-DAY. Straits, and Ceylon-Per KAGA MARU, 16th Dec., 5 p.m.

Shanghal, North China, Japan via Moji, ---Per BORNEO, 16th Dec.. TO-MORROW. Hollow, Haiphong, Pakhol & Salgon-Per

KJELD, 17th inst., 8 a.m. Haiphong, Pakhoi and Salgon—Per TRIUMPH, 17th inst. 8 a.m. Swatow and Bangkok-Per PAKLAT, 17th inst., 9la.m. Philippine Is .- Per INDRA, 17th instant, Indra, Br. s.s. 3,850, J. C. Alexander, 16th Swatow, Amoy & Foochow—Per KAIJO MARU, 17th inst., 9 a.m. Swatow and Amoy—Per HAIMUN 17th

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Thursday Ia.—Per KUMANO
MARU, 17th Dec., 11 a.m.

Shanghal, North China, Japan via Nagasaki, Honolulu, Canada. United States and South America via San Francisco,-PerSIBERIA, 17th inst. noon. Straits and India via Calcutta-Per

DILWARA, 17th inst., 2 p.m.

Straits, Ceylon and India via Bombay-Per KAMAKURA MARU. 17th inst. 2 p.m. Philippine Islands—Per CHINHUA, 17th Dec., 3 p.m. Shanghai and North China---Per HANG-SANG, 17th Dec., 5 p.m.

THURSDAY, 18th Dec. Haiphong, Pakhoi and Saigon-Per KAIFONG, 18th inst. 9 a.m. Japan via Kobe-Per MIYASAKI MARU, 18th 10 a.m. Fort Bayard, Halphong, Pakhol and Sal-gon-Per HUE, 18th inst., 10

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Shanghai, North China and Europe via Siberia --- Per HIMALAYA, 18th Doc., 4 p.m. Swatow and Amoy-Per YOCHOW, 18th

inst, 5 p.m.

FRIDAY 19th Dec. Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-Per HA! CHING, 19th Dec., 10 s.m. Tientsin Chefoo and Changwantao-Per CHIPSHING,19th, inst. 11 a.m. Halphong, and Salgon—Per HANOI, 19th Dec., 11 a.m.

and Indian via Calcutta—Per LAISANG 19th Dec., 11 a.m. SATURDAY, 20th Dec. Japan via Yokohama—Per YATSHING 20th Dec., 10 a.m. Straits, Burmah, Ceylon, Adelaide, Western Australia, India, Aden, Egypt, and Europe via Brindisi. (Late Letters 11 a.m. to noon, Extra Postage 10 cents.) (Supplementary mail on

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20th Dec., 1 p.m. 19.20 Batavis, Cheribon Samarang, Sourahaya-Per TJILATJAP 20th Dec., 2 p.m. Shanghai and North China via Tsingtou Per YINGOHOW, 20th inst., 3 m.m.

> TUESDAY, 23rd Dec. Struits via Calcutta-Per FOOKSANG. 23rd Dec., 10 a.m. Amoy, and Poochow-Per HAJYANG, 23rd Dec., 10 s.m. Philippine Islands-Per TAMING, 23rd inet. 3 p.m. Philippine Islands-Per RUBI, 23rd Dec., 3 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, 24th Dec. Straits, Burmah, Ceylon, Ade- A Michael, Mrs Ab Chin, Mrs Ah Chut laids, Western Australia, India, and Mrs Chu Chin. Aden, Egypt and Europe via Naples—Per PRINZESS ALIOE, 24th inst. 10 a.m.

THURSDAY, Dec. 25th Shanghai & North China-Per HUI-CHOW, 25th inst., 9 a.m.

SATURDAY, 27th Dec.

Philippine Islands, Angaur, Yap, Fred Wilhelmshafen, Rabau, Herbertshohe, Matupi, Australiai, Tasmanis, Now Zenland, via Brisbane-Per COBLENZ, 27th inst. 8 a.m.

27th inst., 1 p.m. FRIDAY, 2nd January.

Philippine Islands -Per ZAFIRO

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Philippine Islands—Per YUENSANG

SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVED.

Kamakura Maru, Jap. s.s. 3,798. T Hori 15th instant-Moji, 10th instant Gen .-- N, Y. K, Africa, Aus. s.s. 9,349, V. Iranolch, 15th

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Bornec, Br. s.s. 2,119, I' & Ram, 16th inst. London, 1st ult, General---P. and Ningpo, Br. s.s. 1,228, T. W. Pichard, 15th Whaiwei instant.--Amoy, 15th instant Hankow Ballast.--B. and S.

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December 14

Daijin Maru for Tamsui Otowa Maru for Takso Japan for Yokohama Australien for Marseilles Heinkong for Canton Seang Choon for Rangoon Klong Ping for Chinking Mexico City for Moji Harunasan Maru for Milke Hopeang for Dalpy Chin Chow for Kwong Yen Africa for Triesto

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December 15.

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PASSENGERS ARRIVED

Per se. Boraco from London-Dawson Miss M C, Moyle Mrs C, Springs A S, Bain Murray, Rhodes W, Tickle A G Comie Lt T A N, Crosbie S, Lyth C A, Elliots G, O'Sullivan Chalker F G .-

PASSENGERS EXPECTED

Per s.s. Miyasaki Maru, from London, November 8th. Miss A.M. M. Corbett, L. W. Rawlinson, Mr. and Mrs. MacKenzie, Miss MacKenzie, Miss H. T. MacKenzie, Mrs J. Thompson, Miss C. M. Thompson Master P. M. Thompson, Mrs. Chapple and two children, Dr and Mrs. N. Davis, Mas-ter H. Davis, Bishop and Mrs. Banister, Miss. Ravietas, W. T. Puddenba, R. C. Miss Banister, W. T. Puddepha, R. C. Turner, Banister, H. Morgan, Mr and Mrs. W. Tohl, Miss H. Tohl, Mrs. A. Mackay A. Edwards, Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. J. D. Edwards, Man Pan-lo, S. H. Spaulding Mr. and Mrs. Man Pan-lo, S. H. Spaulding Mr. and Mrs.

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WEATHER REPORT.

On the 15th at 11.40.—The depression oven 8. E. China has deepened and moved

north-eastward. It is now central to the Pressure has increased considerably

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1 Barometer, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit on the level of the sea in inhes, tenths and hundredths. 2 Temperature, in the shade, in degrees

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4 Direction of Wind, to two points. 5 Force of Wind, according to Beaufort

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LATEST SHIPPING NEWS.

The I. G. M. s.s. BUELOW which left here on the 12th instant, at noon arrived at Shanghai on the 15th instant, at 8 a.m.

The H.A.L. s.s. JEANARA left Manile on the 14th, instant, p.m., and may be expected here on or about the 17th inst,, The H.A.L. s.s. BRASILIA left Shing-

hat on the 15th instant, a.m. and may be expected here on or about the 18th The P. and O. s.s. HIMALAYA left

Singapore for this Port on the 13th Inst. about 10 a.m. The P. and O. s.s. NYANZA is expected

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